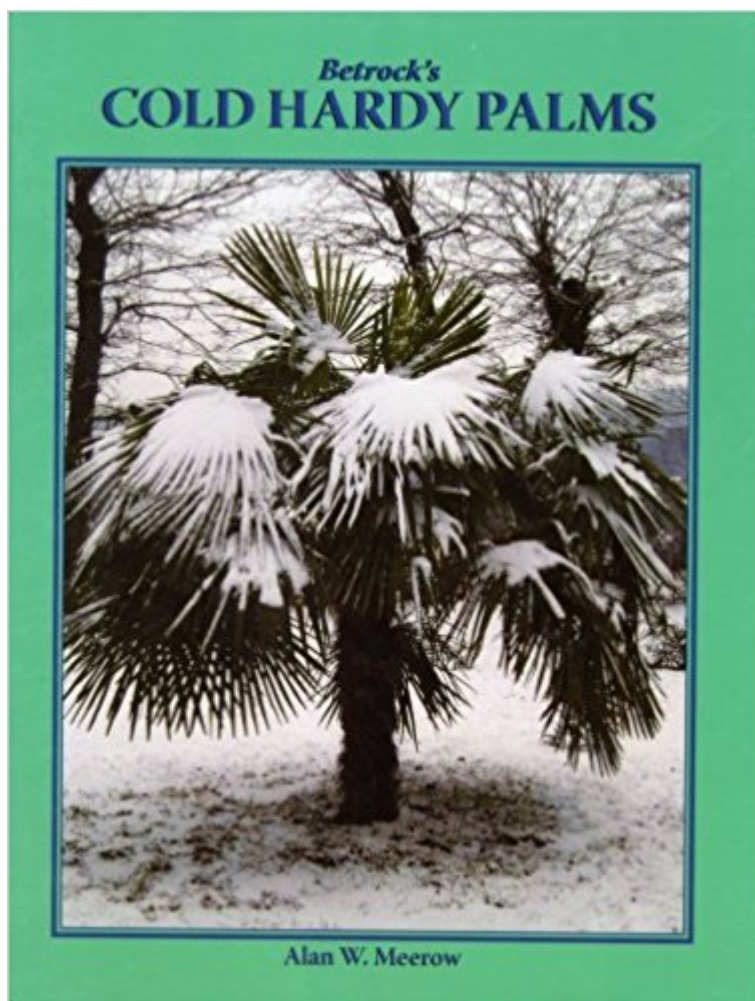


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Broschat, Betrock's Reference Guide to Florida Landscape Plants, and Ornamental Palm Horticulture.

Very comprehensive and reliable information for anyone wanting to add cold hard palms to their landscape. Since buying this book I have planted five different varieties of palms included in this book and found the information very accurate and helpful.

Great pictures and good info but could have used more detail.

A great book! Very informative.

Betrock's Cold Hardy Palms is a wonderful guide for choosing cold hardy palms in your landscape. This book has a lot of information on each species covered, and plenty of large photographs of the leaves, fruit, flowers and the trees themselves. This book and David Franko's book, Palms won't grow here and other Myths are very informative.

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